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| Applicant: | William D. Folsom | } | September 22, 2004 |
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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Dear Sir:

In response to the communication from the Examiner dated June 23, 2004, please amend the claims in the application identified above as follow:

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8a)**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below being deposited with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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